

Translation of the international preliminary examination report

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I. Basis of the report

Basis of this report are the application documents as originally filed.

V. Reasoned statement according to Rule 66.2(a)(ii) with regard to novelty, inventive activity and commercial applicability

With regard to the documents cited in the international Search Report it is determined that the invention as characterized in the claims fulfills the criteria of Article 33(1) PCT, that is, it is considered to be novel, based on inventive activity and commercially applicable.